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In The Application Of:

Richard L. Pressley and Jeffrey D. Williamson

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PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant requests a three-month extension of time for reply to the Office Action dated August 1, 2002, making the response due on Monday, February 03, 2003. The reply to that Office Action is enclosed in the form of a Request for Continued Examination ("RCE") with a Reply responding to the rejections set

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forth in the Office Action. A check in the amount of \$840.00 for the RCE fee (\$375.00) and the extension fee (\$465.00) is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any excess portion of this fee to Deposit Account No. 13-0017.

Respectfully submitted,

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